

Quaggin Hosts Dinner Parties; re Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Quaggin re dinner hosts to Mr. and Mrs. James McMillan and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Keir of Hermosa Beach Tuesday evening. Rev. Dr. Paul M. Wheeler were dinner guests Monday evening.

IN VENTURA

Miss Ruth Barnard accompanied her brother-in-law and sis-

JUDY RHONE HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

The seventh birthday of Judy Rhone was a gala occasion when her mother entertained Saturday afternoon. Valentine appointments were used throughout and party games, with prizes for winners, entertained the children. A decorated candle-light birthday cake and other refreshments were served to Sharon Felker, Sally and Jill Moore, Marilyn and Diane Schumert, Mary Elizabeth Ashley, Marlene Schooley, Nancy Lee Strazor, Carol Ann Lee, Joan Leech, Thelma Rae Brooks, Charlotte Anderson, Judy and her brother, David.

CLUB GROUP HAS DESSERT BRIDGE

Mrs. J. R. Wilkes entertained club members at an evening bridge party at her home Friday. A dessert service was placed for eight at tables attractively center with arrangements of narcissus blossoms. Club guests that evening were Mrs. Herbert A. Carlson and J. C. Snow. Prize winners were Mrs. Dean L. Sears and H. A. Carlson.

ter, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sparks last weekend, when they visited the Dan W. Barnards at Ventura.

Bride-Elect Given Shower Party At Miller Home

Complimenting Miss Elizabeth Ruth Barnard, bride-elect of Mr. William Edouarde Blair, an aviation cadet at Stockton, Mmes. Richard G. Miller, Robert B. Trezise, Jr., and Glenn Maupin entertained at a miscellaneous shower Friday evening. The rumpus room at the J. E. Miller home provided the setting for the party where calla lilies and silver wedding bells accented the bridal theme.

Contract bridge and rummy furnished diversion for the guests following the presentation of many lovely gifts. Prize winners were Mmes. Gilbert J. Derouin, Robert L. Lessing and Miss Marcella Crook.

Those present were the honoree and her mother, Mrs. D. A. Barnard; her sister, Mrs. E. E. Sparks, and Mmes. H. H. Cowan, E. E. Clayton, E. E. Bishop, Robert Carson, H. M. Schott, W. H. Smith, Ray Sleppey, R. M. Rogers, D. C. Mitchell, J. F. Miller, J. B. Melville, J. E. Miller, R. F. Lessing, J. R. Klink, Jr., K. W. Dudley, I. H. Harris, G. J. Derouin, C. W. Williams, Arvol Smith, Claude Jones, George Figueroa, all of this city; Mrs. Gar Johnson of Redondo Beach and the Misses Patty Post, Marcella Crook and Miss Marjorie Northrup of Lomita.

SHRINERS HOST TO BREAKFAST CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. A. Shriner received members of the Torrance Breakfast Club at their home Sunday afternoon when a covered dish chicken dinner was served. Spring flowers were used to decorate and places were arranged for fourteen. Following a short business session conducted by L. C. Miller president, the evening was devoted to pinocle play with Frank Brown and A. Shriner as high score holders. Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. H. A. Lewis, Fred Bever, Frank Brown, J. H. Fess, J. E. Miller and L. C. Miller.

CATHOLIC CARD PARTY TONIGHT

Hostesses for this week's Catholic ladies' card party are Mrs. Louis J. Smith and her committee, Mmes. Bray, Probert, Carlin, Schmidt, Webb, Lillenthal, Obole, Eisenbrandt and Miss Mary Jane Smith. The first door prize will be drawn at 8 o'clock and card play will follow immediately. Everyone is cordially invited. Refreshments will be served.

CHURCH WOMEN ASSIST RED CROSS

Wednesday each week from 10 until 4 o'clock is Christian Church ladies' day at Red Cross headquarters. A cordial invitation is extended to anyone who wishes to assist if only for an hour or so.

ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Daniel Barnard of 2533 Sonoma ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ruth, to Mr. William Edouarde Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Blair of Dallas, Texas. Miss Barnard whose fiance is an Aviation Cadet stationed at Stockton, is planning an early spring wedding.

MRS. MARKER HOSTESS TO CIRCLE GROUP

Mrs. Bess Marker opened her home on Arlington ave. last Thursday afternoon for a meeting of Circle No. 3 Christian church. Following the business meeting with a record attendance, refreshments were served and a social hour followed. Two new members were introduced.

HIGH SCHOOL P. T. A. MEETS MONDAY

Mrs. Clarence H. West, first P. T. A. district vice-president, will be guest speaker for the Founder's Day program at the high school P. T. A. meeting Monday afternoon. Mrs. William Rojo, Jr., will preside and tea will be served by Mrs. Harold Perry and Miss Parks.

SCHOOL PUPILS WILL STAMP BOOKS

Students at Torrance Elementary school are doing their part in complying with the request to fill War Stamp books. Mrs. W. J. Vernon, P. T. A. chairman, reports that January sales were \$400.10 in stamps and \$125 in bonds. Sponsored by the P. T. A. the sales are held every Wednesday during the morning recesses.

SERVICE SHORTS

GEORGE A. MORT... visited friends and relatives here several days last week. Staff Sgt. Mort is stationed at Headquarters Attachment, Finance Replacement Training Center, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., and is on the Pacific Coast on official business.

JACK CLIFFORD THOMAS... was graduated recently as a second lieutenant from the Antiaircraft Artillery school, officer candidate division, at Camp Davis, N. C. The son of Mrs. H. E. Williamson of 2117 Torrance Blvd., he entered the school Oct. 24, 1942 as a corporal. Lieut. Thomas formerly a tool crib worker at the National Supply and helper at the Two Macks Electric Co., was a member of the Torrance De Moly chapter.

WILLIAM S. JOHNSON... of 22230 Meyer st., enlisted recently in the Marine Corps and is now in training at San Diego. He played football for Torrance Tartar teams and was graduated from Torrance high school in 1941.

KENNETH B. HUGHES... formerly an attorney here was graduated yesterday from the Army Administration Officer Candidate school at State College, Miss., and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the newly organized Transportation Corps.

GERALD MACDONALD... who is attending Notre Dame University at South Bend, Ind., has enrolled in the Marine Reserve and is subject to 48-hour call, according to word received this week by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. MacDonald of 1420 Acacia ave.

GEORGE B. SMITH... who enlisted recently in the Army Air Corps Reserves is awaiting his call. He lives at 1754 Gramercy ave.

ROBERT (Bud) LEE and GEORGE A. ANDERSON... have completed enlistment proceedings and are now serving in the Navy. Lee lives at 1314 Diet st., while Anderson resided at 2511 Eldorado.

ROBERT KIRKLAND... a corporal, has been advised of his membership in Phi Beta Kappa. A graduate of Torrance high school and U. C. L. A., he majored in meteorology.

DOUGLAS L. CRAWFORD... son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crawford is attending advance training school at Luke Field, Ariz. He expects to spend a leave with Torrance friends in March.

WILLIAM E. BUCKLEY... seaman 2/c, recently arrived at New Caledonia where he was greeted by Paul Harestad also of this city.

WILLIAM A. BARNETT... private 1/c, through his mother when he sent a wireless message to her this week stating that he was well. This is the first message he has been able to send since last April.

GERALD G. GRUBB... recently was named acting corporal with duties as Marine drill instructor. He has also been named as outstanding man in his platoon. Both honors were accompanied by certificates and the latter by a medal. Grubb is now on desert maneuvers.

TOM KING... surprised his mother, Mrs. Fanny C. King of 1533 Marcella ave., by arriving home Tuesday night for a brief leave. He is now a petty officer, gunner's mate 3/c, having been advanced from seaman 1/c.

DONALD PHOENIX... has been transferred from Fairagut, Idaho to Columbia, Mo., where he is enrolled for 16 weeks' course at Diesel school.

RAY BROOKS... a lieutenant, j. g., in the Naval Reserve, visited Torrance friends Tuesday on route from Treasure Island, to a Southern California base.

BEN YOUNGREN... enjoyed a weekend visit with Jack Hudson and Frank Kelley who returned Monday from Carlbad, N. M. During their stay there Youngren received his promotion to private 1/c.

MAJOR W. J. HARRISON... has been transferred from Camp Merced to San Bernardino where he is in command of the Air Base hospital.

EUGENE F. STEGELMEYER... son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stegelmeier, 1104 Beech ave., has been promoted to master sergeant. He is stationed with the Medical Detachment at Scott Field, Ill.

RAYMOND SPEHEGER... is now stationed at San Bernardino. He has served in the Army Air Forces in Texas, Colorado and Utah and is glad to be back in California.

JAMES A. SNYDER... gunner's mate 3/c, in a letter to his mother, Mrs. Ida Snyder, 2117 Cabrillo ave., reports he is well and wishes to be remembered to all his friends here.

WALLACE E. CLARK... a private, is stationed at Camp Callan.

PEDRO PINA... a master sergeant stationed at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., spent a short leave with his family and friends here last weekend.

FRED RUSSELL... now a private in Technical School Squadron Air Force, is stationed at St. Petersburg, Fla. He was a member of the midwinter graduating class from Torrance high school.

ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Mort of 1221 Cota ave. announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Jane, to Ralph Pettitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Pettitt, of Manhattan Beach.

Fern Avenue P.T.A. Hears Talk on Food, Musical Program

One of the most enjoyable and instructive of recent Fern ave. P. T. A. meetings were held at the school last Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. John R. Garner presided. Guy L. Mowry, as guest speaker, outlined the food situation and its solution in a program of home gardening and preserving of fruits and vegetables.

Harry H. Sone, agricultural teacher at Torrance high school, amplified Mowry's talk. Piano selections by Mme. Teala Bellini, vocal selections by Mrs. Victor Anderson, and group singing led by Carol Brigham completed the program. At the close of the meeting Mmes. George Leech and Saymon Kerr served tea.

Homemaking study group embracing five classes will be conducted by Mrs. Flemming, trained nutrition specialist, and Mrs. Charles Flekwir, interior decorator. It was announced by Mrs. L. F. Watson, home service chairman.

CRAWFORDS MOVE TO FONTANA

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crawford and family of 1547 221st st., have sold their home here and moved to Fontana, where he is employed at the Kaiser Steel Co. They have been Torrance residents for the past 15 years and he was a National Supply Co. employee.

DINNER HONORS BIRTH DATE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shields were dinner guests Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rowell of Manuel ave. The occasion was Mrs. Shields' birthday anniversary. Many lovely gifts were presented.

Dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Bauman last Wednesday evening were Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Pizey of Redondo Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowen and son, Rudolph, were weekend guests of Mrs. Mabel Zeller of Burbank.

Valentine's Day Suggestions VALENTINE'S DAY FEB. 14 TH HEART-BOXED CANDIES Luscious and fresh, new shipments from Gales, Miss Saylor's, Whiteman's. 35c, 65c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Buy Early, While Supply Lasts! TO YOUR VALENTINE IN UNIFORM Don't forget the Boys in the Service. They'll be looking for your Gift on Valentine's Day. Here are appropriate suggestions: WRITING KITS SHAVING SETS COMB AND BRUSH SETS BOX STATIONERY AIRMAIL PAPER AND ENVELOPES Many Other Gift Ideas for the Boys In Service are on Display at the Beacon BEACON DRUG CO. LESLIE L. PRINCE, Prop. CARRILLO AT GRAMERCY—TORRANCE PHONE 180 TRAVEL HEADQUARTERS IN TORRANCE

PENNEY'S Feature Values! 70x99 Bleached White SHEET BLANKETS 1.19 Heavy, Double Nap That Is Warm and Fluffy! They Wash So Well, Too! Misses' Spring Prints 1.19 COTTON FROCKS ATTRACTIVE STYLES! Sizes 3 to 14 50x80 Adjustable Length LACE PANELS 98c Attractive Panels Like These Will Add Beauty to Your Home! Women's Attractive Cotton WASH FROCKS 1.29 MANY STYLES TO CHOOSE FROM! Sizes 12 to 52 Large Size Pearl-Wick CLOTHING HAMPERS 3.77 A Special You Won't Want to Miss! A Fine Accessory for Any Bathroom! 2000 Yards Fine Count DRESS PRINTS 19c ALL NEW, CLEAR PATTERNS TO CHOOSE FROM! Large 70x80 Plaid DOUBLE BLANKETS 1.49 Only 50 at This Price, So You Will Have to Hurry! Women's Full-Fashioned RAYON HOSE, Cabana Puff 39c WELL KNIT FOR MANY MILES OF SERVICE! Women's Good Wearing UTILITY OXFORDS 1.19 Soft, Pliable Uppers in Medium Heel Height Style! Sizes 4-9 Attractive Ready-Made READY-TO-HANG DRAPES 3.23 SEE THESE OUTSTANDING VALUES NOW! Men's Sanforized Full Cut WORK SHIRTS 79c Full Cut, 2-Pocket Style, in Sizes 14 1/2 to 17. SAVE HERE! We Are Authorized Agents for CUB AND BOY SCOUT UNIFORMS AND EQUIPMENT PENNEY'S 1261 SARTORI TORRANCE

PLUMBING REPAIRS Take care of your Plumbing... to be sure it lasts for the duration. Even minor repairs should be promptly made. Call us for Expert Advice and Dependable Work. \* WATER HEATERS AVAILABLE TORRANCE PLUMBING CO. F. L. PARKS 1418 Marcella Phone 60 Opposite Post Office

Why Rationing Is Necessary - - - "WE MUST FEED OUR FIGHTERS AND FIGHTING ALLIES" "An army marches on its stomach!" Food is as much a weapon of war as guns, tanks and planes. And not only for an Army... Food is a weapon for Marines, sailors, war-workers, submarine crews, and everyone else engaged in the battle for victory of the United Nations. We must share our food with those who are fighting and dying for us. Rationing is the way to do it. Sharing with our fighters means less for us. We must ration canned foods to help make sure our fighters and Allies-in-arms get what food they need; and to make sure that everyone at home gets his fair share. Rationing is just another way of saying, "Let's give them everything they need to win for us!" "Let's share fairly." of the United Nations. We cannot send them much in the way of fresh fruits, vegetables, meats and other foods. We must send them fighting foods... canned, dehydrated, frozen, dried... in all the processed forms that American ingenuity has devised. We must share our food with those who are fighting and dying for us. Rationing is the way to do it. Sharing with our fighters means less for us. We must ration canned foods to help make sure our fighters and Allies-in-arms get what food they need; and to make sure that everyone at home gets his fair share. Rationing is just another way of saying, "Let's give them everything they need to win for us!" "Let's share fairly." SILK TISSUE 3 Rolls 12c PABLUM Small Pkg. 19c KNOX GELATINE Small Pkg. 19c SPECIAL! Sassy Dog Food 3 CANS 25c (Limit-6 Cans) APRICOTS No. 2 1/2 Can 18c TOMATO JUICE VAL VITA No. 1 Can 7c BARTLETT PEARS GOLD WINNER No. 2 1/2 Can 21c PEACHES DEL MONTE YELLOW CLING No. 2 1/2 Glass Jar 26c APPLE JUICE SIGNET Quart Jar 25c Val Vita TOMATO SAUCE 3 8-OZ. CANS 14c (No Limit During Sale) BORDEN'S HEMO 1-lb. Jar 59c GERBER'S BABY FOODS 3 for 20c POSTUM 3-oz. Can 39c GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 5-lb. Bag 30c DROMEDARY CORN MUFFIN MIX Lge. Pkg. 39c LOG CABIN SYRUP Small Jug 17c VERMONT MAID SYRUP Small Jug 16c 6 Greeting Cards plus "DAYS TO REMEMBER" BOOKLET Only 10c WITH RINSO OR LIFEBOUY COME IN FOR ORDER BLANK RINSO Giant 67c Large 23c LIFEBOUY 3 for 20c Aunt Jenny's MEAT-STRETCHING POTATOBURGERS COME IN FOR ORDER BLANK SPRY 3 lbs. 72c 1 lb. 26c LUX FLAKES Large 23c Regular 2 for 19c SWAN SOAP Large 10c Small 3 for 19c FRUITS & VEGETABLES Special This Week! VERY SWEET, SEEDLESS MANGERINES 2 lbs. 15c (Larger and Sweeter Than Tangerines) EGG SIZE, WASHED CLEAN BURBANK POTATOES 6 lbs. 20c UTAH CELERY Large Stalk 15c IDEAL RANCH MARKET 2067 Torrance Blvd., Torrance Remember... We are Closed on Sundays... for the Duration. Open Every Week Day Evening 'til 7 P.M. ... Saturdays 'til 8 P.M.